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PATENT
Docket No. GC272D2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)

K. H. Kodama, et al)

Serial No.: 09/061,019)

Filed: April 15, 1998)

Group Art Unit: 1652

Examiner: - - -

For: EXPRESSION OF GLYCOSYLTRANSFERASE IN ASPERGILLUS

PETITION TO REVIVE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.137(b)
AND FEE AUTHORIZATION

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition the Commissioner to revive the above-captioned application which was unintentionally abandoned. During a review of cases pending in the PTO, it was discovered that this application was abandoned. It is believed that Applicants failed to file a timely and proper response to a Notice to file Missing Parts (an executed Declaration).

While the Application transmittal letter dated April 15, 1998 (enclosure B), for a patent application under 37 CFR §1.53 included the current business address for the attorney of record, the unsigned Declaration filed with the application indicated that all communications should be sent to the old business address of the assignee (enclosure C).

Applicants do not have a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts but submit the date of abandonment is the day after expiration of the period set for reply in the Missing Parts.

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Applicants have herein submitted a newly executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (enclosure C). Additionally Applicants are submitting a petition for extension of time for four (4) months including fee authorization and authorization for the surcharge of filing the declaration. (enclosure D).

Since the above-referenced patent application was filed after June 8, 1995 a terminal disclaimer is not required.

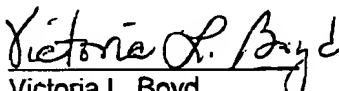
Applicants herein state the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR §1.137(b) was unintentional.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee necessitated by this petition under 37 CFR §1.17(m) and any additional fees necessitated by this filing to Applicants' Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC272D1). This paper is submitted in triplicate.

Consideration of this petition and reinstatement of the pendency of this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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